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Dear J.W.,

It is my sincere pleasure to join your many friends, family, and colleagues in congratulating you on your appointment to the national executive leadership team of the Governors Homeland Security Advisory Council. I salute you for your commitment to public service and your years of hard work to ensure the security of our state and nation. I am proud that a fellow Mississippian has been recognized with this special honor, and I feel confident that you will continue to represent Mississippi well.

This is a well-deserved honor. As you know, the hours are long and the decisions are sometimes difficult, but you have the opportunity to play a leadership role in improving the security of America. I wish you much success, and I look forward to continuing to work with you.

Please call on me if I can ever be of assistance.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

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